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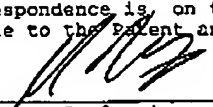
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AMENDMENT

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Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

Herewith is an amendment for the application identified above, in
response to the Office Action of July 6, 2005.

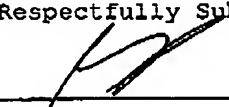
FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:

	Claims after amendment	Previously paid for		Present Extra		Additional Fee
All claims:	16	minus 20	=	0	X \$50.00 =	\$0.00
Ind. claims:	3	minus 3	=	0	X \$200.00 =	\$0.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE: \$0.00

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Action of July 6, 2005. It is believed that no extension of time is needed, but should one be needed, please consider this a petition therefor, and charge deposit account number 500599 the appropriate fee. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.